Brigands Head UPRISING: YUAN

Removes One Governor Known + have been remedied by previous + No Embezzlement Charges to to Sympathize With Rebels: Troops Wavering

(Special Cable to Nippu Jiji) TOKIO, Feb. 15.-Chinese brigands | + short of funds, but I believe that + + are now heading an uprising in the + it would be better business for + + Almost penniless and with + province of Shantung, China. but as + the city and county to buy new + + claims against Signor Eugenio de + the garrison is in the hands of a man + equipment for the plant. favorable to the republic, no attempt + "Labor costs are greater for + * week, members of the stranded + has been made to quell the disturbanc. + the city and county than for a + + De Folco Opera Company will + es. Many disturbances are occurring + private contractor, I know, but I + + give a benefit performance on + throughout the province, and the situ. + still think that money could be + + Thursday afternoon of this week, + throughout the province, and the situation is said to be critically alarming.

Chi Kiang province on the east
const of China is on the verge of an
uprising against Yuan Shih-Kai. A report from Ningpo states that the soldiers of the garrison are strongly in
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Yuan's Son On Mission. (Special Cable to Liberty News.) SHANGHAL, Feb. 15. - Yuan Shih-Kal has sent his eldest son, Yuan Katien, to Shansi province to spy on Henry Wallace Hall of the Fourth Yuan Shi Shan, military governor of cavalry are to be maried at the resithat province, who is accused by Yuan dence of D. L. Conkling, the bride's of being in sympathy with the republic. This is the first mission that has been undertaken by one of Yuan's MARTI OPENS DANCING

Fung Kwou Chong, military governor of Kwang Su, who is believed to go over to the republic.

BETTER CLOSE DOWN QUARRY THAN KEEP ON AT LOSS-HORNER

Supervisor Larsen's charges regarding inefficiency in the conduct of the municipal quarry are + bothering Supervisor Robert Hor- + ner. He thinks the board is be- + + ing blamed for conditions which + + have existed for years and should +

+ boards. "The main fault is with the + + equipment," he says. "It is anti-+ + quated and should have been re- + + placed years ago. The hoard is + +

AND LIEUT. HALL TO **BE MARRIED TONIGHT**

Mrs. Julia C. Smith and Lieutenant brother, at 8 o'clock this evening.

CLASS AT OPERA HOUSE Mario Marti, late stage manager for be in favor of the republic, was re- the De Folco Grand Opera Company, called today by Yuan Shih-Kai. Jung has opened a dancing class which yan Hing has been appointed to the post. Fung has not yet answered the notice of his dismissal, but it is exhouse. Fancy dances, classic dances. pected that he will join with the re- and modern ball room steps, as well publican forces, and the garrison may as toe dancing and ballet theory will be taught.

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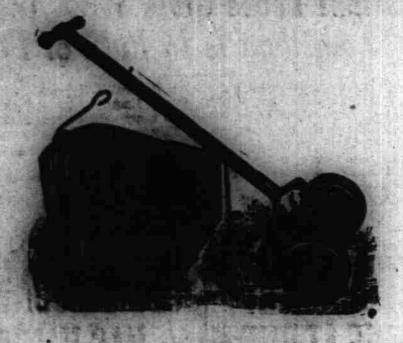
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+ + Folco for salaries for the past +

+ theater on Thursday, beginning + + at 2:30 o'clock, that several of + + the company's stars will sing op- + + eratic selections, that use of the + + theater has been given, and that + the entire receipts will be turned + over to the girls.

Vergeri, soprano; Poggi, tenor; + + Giovacchini, baritone; Perreira, + + coloratura soprano, and others + ♦ will sing. Tickets are now on ♦ + sale at the National theater box. + + office at 50 cents each. ++++++++++

No Grounds For Action.

As far as the city attorney's office is concerned, charges of embezzlement will not be brought against Eugenio de Folco, impresario, for the reason that there are no visible grounds for such an action because, one official said today, the office understands that the money derived by The Footlights from the benefit performance was turned over to De Folco without any strings attached."

Deputy City Attorney A. M. Cristy says that his office has conducted an investigation to ascertain whether De Folco had appropriated for his own use money belonging to another per-son or persons, and has reached the conclusion that there are no grounds for embezzlement charges against the

make itself an assistant collection

agency."

Information from a supposedly reliable source reached the city attorney's office yesterday to the effect that the concert given under the auspices of The Footlights was presented as the result of a contract made with the De Folco Company, whereby the company was to "deliver the goods," so to speak; that is, to give the performance.

he performance.

Value Received."

The performers in the De Folco ompany, the attorney's office ex-

"The money thus taken in belonged to The Footlights and was turned over, to De Folco with no strings attached," a deputy city attorney says, "De Folco having all of his performers under contract. The claim has been made by the performers that they re-ceived none of the money derived from the benefit. Wasn't the De Folco Company in a tight hole even be-fore the performance? On Monday afternoon, before the benefit concert was given, this office understands that

Asked where the money came from to pay off the members of the company, the deputy attorney stated that a rumor has it that he Folco borrowed money on the strength of the benefit

Attorney A. L. Castle today declined to comment on the matter, and stated that he did not wish to make public to \$13. Waialua is firm, with consid-

Monday and they were still under con-

The third court action involving the De Folcos was instituted shortly after o'clock yesterday afternoon when L. Burr, a local attorney, filed in circuit court a suit to recover \$740. this amount representing the claims of several members of the company, including some of those in the ballet. Eugenio de Folco is named as defendant and Mme. Margaret Elizabeth de Folco and Andrew L. Benson as garni-

Claims set forth in the suit are those of Mildred Costanza, \$30; Alleen Dunkle, \$18; Joaquin Wanrell, \$37; Michele Giovacchini, \$70; Emilia Ver-geri, \$90; Bernice Holmes, \$50; Johan-na Kristoffy, \$125; Luigi Poggi, \$90; G. de Papageorgopulo, \$45. In addition to these claims, which are for salaries during the last week, there is a claim by Luigi Roccia, musical director, for

rent for music amounting to \$150. Attorney Burr attached all costumes and paraphernalia which were not attached in a former suit. Because of the fact that the amount named in the suit is in excess of \$300, the case will be heard by Circuit Judge T. B. Stuart. Attorney C. H. McBride has been retained as counsel for the plaintiffs.

Many villagers in towns about Namur, Belgium, have perished in the

Sears-Roebuck Manager To Be Ad Club Guest



J. F. Skinner of Chicago, who wil be an Ad Club guest tomorrow.

J. F. Skinner of Chicago, business manager of the Sears, Roebuck Company, will be the special guest of the Ad Club at the weekly noon luncheon at the Alexander Young Hotel tomor-

This date has also been set by the Ad Club men for the final rally be fore the Carnival. Official pennants and leis will be on sale, and J. Mcrton Riggs will report on the big luau, which is to be held on the following

Wednesday, Berger Day. Bishop W. S. Lewis of Shanghai China, who arrived with Mrs. Lewis yesterday on the Chivo Maru, will also be a guest at the luncheon.

Miss Bernice Holmes, the mezzo soprano of the De Folco Opera Company, will sing several songs during "And," he stated, somewhat emphat-sung for the club before and is a

PERSONALITIES

J. L. YOUNG, the local contractor, returned on the Wilhelmina today from a brief business visit to the main-

H. J. EDDO, connected with a navy publication, "Our Navy," arrived on the Wilhelmina today, for a visit in

ROBERT P. SCRIPPS, son of E. W. Scripps, of the Scripps Newspaper Syndicate, arrived on the Wilhelmina tickets from The Pootlights for the this morning to see the islands. His benefit performance and got value re-

J. K. COCKETT and F. J. Robello, customs inspectors, returned from Hilo today in the Mauna Kea. They report freight congestion acute at the Hawaii port, and say all the warehouses are overcrowded with 'reight brought in within the last 10 days or two weeks.

TO ADDRESS CHAMBER

"Municipal Government and Honohlu's Opportunity" will be the subject of an address by Dr. H. J. Connor of Duluth, Minn., at the regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce toporfow afternoon. The meeting is set to begin at 2 o'clock.

MORNING ON 'CHANGE

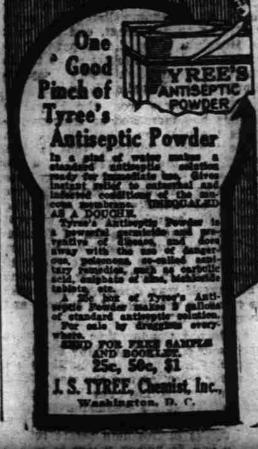
Will Not Press Charge.

Deputy Attorney Cristy today said that his office took up the matter with the legal representative of The Footlights and that the latter declined to press any charge against De Folco.

"The representatives said that the money was turned over to De Folco without any strings," the attorney added.

Attorney A. L. Castle today declined at the last of the string of the drop in sugar yesterday afternoon. Sales totaled 6275 shares. Olaa has sunffered a decided drop, selling down to \$15.50, a slump of 50 cents, and with offerings at that figure ignored at the close. McBryde too, is down 75 cents the amount of money derived from the trable trading, and Hawaiian Commer-"Frankly, I don't care to go into the matter," he added. "When the money nokaa, after a temporary slump, is cial is up 50 cents a share. Pioneer has gained almost one point, and Howas turned over, all of the members up to \$9 again. Oahu Sugar is down, of the company had been paid up until from ½ to ¾. Other sugar issues are Monday and they were still under con-unchanged. Pahang Rubber is firm at an advance to \$17.50.

British prisoners held by the Turks number 47 officers and 595 men, it was announced in London.



CALLED OFF YET

Superintendent Forbes may go to Washington. That is how the matter stands this afternoon.

"After hearing that the Chamber of Commerce had decided to obtain the services of George McK. McClellan as their representative at Washington I decided that I would stay in Honolulu and do what I could for the furtherance of improvements here." Mr. Forbes declared today. "As I see it. there is no necessity of the territory's having two representatives before Congress."

"But, Mr. Forbes, it is understood that the governor has taken up with the Secretary of the Interior the advisability of your appearing before

"Yes, I believe that he has. If Mr. Lane approves I may go to Washing-

Raymond C. Brown, secretary of the 'hamber of Commerce, said today that the question of whether or not Mr. Forbes was to go to Washington was not considered by the directors of the chamber when selecting Mr. McClellar for their representative. "Mr. Forbes' name was not mentioned

at yesterday's meeting," he declared. George McK. McClellan was appointed congressional representative of the Chamber of Commerce at a salary of \$700 a mouth at a special meeting of the board of directors yesterday afternoon. The territory's delegate is leaving Washington to attend to some private business in Honolulu and Mr. McClellan is to unofficially take his place.

McClellan is familiar with congressional affairs and committee work, as he has served as the delegate's secretary for several years and represented Hawaiian interests in the capital several times before.

Mrs. Charlotte White celebrated her 100th birthday at Sacramento, Cal. Prices of light steel rails were advanced \$3 a ton by the Carnegie Steel



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